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**CONSENT OF INVENTOR TO CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.324**

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Sir:

I, J. Donald Hill, residing at 23 Teaberry Lane, Tiburon, California 94920, declare and state the following:

1. I am a named inventor of the above-identified patent.
2. I consent to the correction of inventorship filed herewith.
3. All of the foregoing statements made of the my own knowledge are true, and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. These statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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Sir:

I, Eric May, residing at 11 Stillwell Avenue, Norfolk, Massachusetts 02056,  
declare and state the following:

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Sir:

I, Andy Levine, residing at 1105 Walnut Street, Newton, Massachusetts 02461, declare and state the following:

1. I am a named inventor of the above-identified patent.
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Sir:

I, John Meade, residing at 85 Millville Road, Mendon, Massachusetts 01756,  
declare and state the following:

1. I am a named inventor of the above-identified patent.
2. I consent to the correction of inventorship filed herewith.
3. All of the foregoing statements made of the my own knowledge are true, and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. These statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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Sir:

I, Geoffrey Briggs, residing at 489 Valley View Road, Los Altos, California 94024, declare and state the following:

1. I am a named inventor of the above-identified patent.
2. I consent to the correction of inventorship filed herewith.
3. All of the foregoing statements made of the my own knowledge are true, and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. These statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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Geoffrey Briggs



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Sir:

I, Michael Sims, residing at 916 Irving Street, Montara, California 94037, declare and state the following:

1. I am a named inventor of the above-identified patent.
2. I consent to the correction of inventorship filed herewith.
3. All of the foregoing statements made of the my own knowledge are true, and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. These statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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**STATEMENT FROM PERSON BEING ADDED AS INVENTOR**  
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Sir:

I, John Cvinar, residing at 3407 S. Ocean Boulevard, Highland Beach, Florida 33487, declare and state the following:

1. I submit this statement in support of the Petition for Correction of Inventorship in Patent under 37 C.F.R. § 1.324 for Patent No. US 7,591,827 B2.
2. I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application and patent issuing therefrom.
3. My name was omitted from the above-identified application for a patent in error.
4. The inventorship error of failing to include me as an inventor of the above-identified patent occurred without any deceptive intent on my part.

5. All of the foregoing statements made of the my own knowledge are true, and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. These statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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John Gvinar



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Sir:

I, J. Donald Hill, residing at 23 Teaberry Lane, Tiburon, California 9 920, declare and state the following:

1. I am the Assignee of the entire right, title, and interest of, in, and to Patent No. US 7,591,827 B2, issued September 22, 2009, entitled: CONDUIT COUPLING DEVICES AND METHODS FOR EMPLOYING SUCH DEVICES, as evidenced by: (1) the assignment document recorded on May 26, 2009, with the Assignment Records of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 022735, Frame 0514; and (2) the assignment document executed by John Cvinar recorded on October 23, 2009, with the Assignment Records of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 023409, Frame 0530.
2. I consent to the correction of inventorship filed herewith.

3. All of the foregoing statements made of the my own knowledge are true, and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. These statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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